Norridge Police Department

Accident Review Board

Date Assigned	Member	Present	Excused	Unexcused		
5/1/2003	Officer Malicki	Х				
7/15/2016	Corporal Wendt	Х				
10/01/2016	Officer Smith	Х				
6/28/2017	Sergeant Rice	Х				
07/01/18	Officer Ljubicic	Х				

Review Date: November 27, 2018 M/V Crash Incident Number: 18-010884

Officer: Officer Deutcher #39 Squad: #514

1. Classification I

- a. The incident was NON-Preventable and the employee was not at fault. Caution was apparently exercised.
- b. The employee was legally parked or standing.
- c. The employee was aware of the impending hazard, was alert to the consequences and skillful in minimizing the effect of the hazard.
- d. In incidents the board resolves to be Classification I, no disciplinary action will be taken.

2. Classification II

- a. The employee failed to exercise reasonable and due care.
- b. The employee deviated inexcusably from department rules, regulations, procedures and/or general safety practices.
- c. In incidents the board resolves to be Classification II, disciplinary action recommended may be:
- (i) For the very first incident of record for the employee in a rolling 24 month period, a letter of reprimand will be issued and attendance and successful completion of a Defensive Driving Course may be ordered. Only one letter of reprimand may be issued during the 24 month period in which the incident occurred.
- (ii) For a second Classification II finding by the board in the 24 month period a 2 day suspension without pay shall be imposed.
- (iii) For a third Classification II finding by the board in a 24 month period, a 3 day suspension without pay shall be imposed.

Recommendation: The board reached a majority decision. 4 votes were casted for 2(b) and 1 vote was casted for 2(a).



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ORDER OF SUSPENSION (by Chief of Police)

January 8, 2019

TO: Officer Steven Deutscher



You are hereby notified, pursuant to Section 5/10-2.1-17 of Chapter 65 of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, that you are suspended as a Police Officer of the Police Department of the Village of Norridge, for a period of one (1) day January 18, 2019 for the following reason:

That on to-wit, November 11, 2018 on or about 9:10am, Officer Steven Deutscher, being a member of the Norridge Police Department, while driving Norridge squad care #514, was involved in a crash with the Norridge Police garage door while it was closing. Officer Deutscher was determined to have deviated inexcusably from department rules, regulations, procedures or general safety practices to prevent the accident.

In violation of the Rules and Regulations and Policies and Procedures of the Police Department of the Village of Norridge, State of Illinois, as passed and approved by the Village of Norridge President and Board of Trustees and effective on the 1st day of March, 2014, that at said time and place Officer Steven Deutscher was guilty of violating Rule 2.33.2 Proper Use of Motor Vehicles and General Order 14-04 Section III C2b.

Dave Disselhorst

Chief of Police

Norridge Police Department

Norridge, Illinois

Received a copy of the above Order of Suspension this

Signed: Officer

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Board of Police and Fire Commissioners

Ursula Kucharski, Chairperson Police Committee